

WHEREAS: ALL YOUNG PEOPLE ARE CREATIVE BY NATURE, AND ENTHUSIASTICALLY EXPRESS THEMSELVES THROUGH A VARIETY OF ARTISTIC MEANS; AND

- WHEREAS: THE YOUNG PERSON'S ARTISTIC EXPERIENCES ENCOURAGE THE EXPLORATION AND PERSONALIZATION OF THE PHYSICAL WORLD, WHILE INSTILLING DISCIPLINE WHICH WILL SERVE THE INDIVIDUAL WELL IN A VARIETY OF LIFE'S SETTINGS; AND
- WHEREAS: THE YOUNG ARTIST LEARNS TO RESPECT HIS OWN WORK AND ABILITIES AND THE PRODUCTS AND TALENTS OF OTHERS AS UNIQUE GIFTS TO BE APPRECIATED; AND
- WHEREAS: THE DEVELOPMENT OF ANY INDIVIDUAL'S ARTISTIC ABILITIES, AND ALL HUMAN POTENTIAL, IS A TRULY WORTHWHILE PURSUIT WHICH DESERVES THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF ALL WHO VALUE A HEALTHY, DIVERSE, PRODUCTIVE SOCIETY;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RUDY PERPICH, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1983 TO BE

YOUTH ART MONTH

IN MINNESOTA. FURTHER, I URGE OUR CITIZENS TO SUPPORT ART EDUCATORS AND YOUNG PEOPLE WHO DEDICATE THEMSELVES TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF CREATIVE ARTISTIC EXPRESSION.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO BE AFFIXED THIS NINETEENTH DAY OF JANUARY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE, AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIFTH.

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